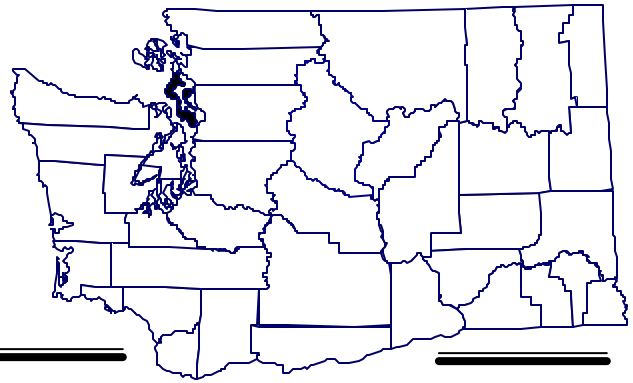


Island County

WIC Facts 2002 (Rev. 5/03)



WIC Serves

% infants born in Island County served by WIC 2002

County: 51.9%
Statewide: 48.2%

WIC food dollars in Island County 2002

\$928,691

Total individuals served	3,259
Infants and young children	2,366
Pregnant, breastfeeding, and postpartum women	894

Diverse families

Caucasian	69.9%
Hispanic	9.5%
African American/Black	9.3%
Asian/Pacific Islander	9.3%
Native American/American Indian	2.0%

Working families

81.5% of WIC households have at least one
working family member

Families living in poverty

37.4% live at or below the federal poverty level
(≤\$1,521 per month for a family of 3)

Military families

1,639 women and children (50.3%)

Local WIC Agencies

- Island County Health Department
- Skagit County Community Action Agency